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Mission of Love Food Bank

Every Tuesday- Food Bank Program 555 North Main St., Bangor, 10am-12pm. All are invited Bilingual Services. Pastor Frank Pons. (570) 807-7794

Explore Warren County Tourism at: ExploreWarren.org

Located at 165 County Route 519 South - Belvidere, NJ 07823 908-475-6580 / 800-554-8540

Portland Upper Mt. Bethel Food Bank

Located at 111 State St. Portland Pa. and until further notice the PUMP will be open every Monday as normal, AM AND PM: 10 to 11:30 am & 6:00 to 7:30 pm but will deliver food to your car as your number is called in the parking lot. No one but workers will be allowed to go inside. There will be no access to restrooms. Your cooperation during this difficult time is greatly appreciated.

Blue Mt. Comm. Library

NEW Adult Fiction:

Summer On The Island, Brenda Novak
 The Wait, Joanne DeMaio
 Band of Sisters, Lauren Willig
 The Next Ship Home, Heather Webb
 Local Gone Missing, Fiona Barton
 The Summer Place, Jennifer Weiner
 This Time Tomorrow, Emma Straub
 The Missing Piece, John Lescroart
 Meaning To Be, Emily Giffin
 The Lost Summers of Newport, Beatriz Williams

The Hotel Nantucket, Elin Hilderbrand
 Bloomsbury Girls, Natalie Jenner
 The Lioness, Chris Bohjalian
 The Shore, Katie Runde

JACOBSBURG-BOULTON HISTORIC SITE

Celebrating Veterans Weekend featuring WWII Living History Event. Sat., June 25th, 10:00am-4:00pm, Sun., June 26th, 12:00pm-4:00pm. All vets, all branches, all conflicts or peace time. Please join us for a special program Saturday at 1:00. Opening remarks by PA representative Ann Flood. Patriotic music by the Nazareth Band (bring your lawn chair). PA Longrifle Museum & Henry House Museum open for tour before & after program. 402 Henry Road, Nazareth - adjacent Jacobsburg State Park. Admission \$7.00. Veterans, active military & children 12 and under FREE.

Barefoot Grape Stomping at Four Sisters Winery

Saturday, June 25, 2022 - 4:00pm to 7:00pm Are you ready for a stomping good time? Well, now is your chance to be a part of an exclusive social event at Four Sisters Winery. The Barefoot Grape Stomping is a one-of-a-kind experience; surely to intoxicate all your senses. It's a unique opportunity you don't want to miss!

The event begins with a formal wine tasting followed by a mouth-watering dinner cellar tour and ends with dessert and wine pairing. Four Sisters Winery award-winning wines can be purchased by the glass or bottle to enjoy with your meal. This delightful event includes an embossed souvenir glass, so you won't go home empty-handed. After dinner, it's off for a stomping good time.

This event will surely be one that is memorable for years to come. So, put your best foot forward, jump in and stomp those grapes!

Tickets are required and may be purchased by calling 908-475-3671 Cost is \$42.50/person, plus tax

Little Ridge Vineyards presents Live Music

LIVE MUSIC, FOOD TRUCKS & FUN AT THE FARM

**Subject to change, with or without notice

June 18 Music by Jeff Bellfy 3-6
 June 25 Music by Rave On 3-6
 July 2 Music by Andrew Lobby 3-6
 July 3 Music by Scott Messina 1-4
 July 9 Music by Michael Patrick 3-6
 July 16 Music by Rave on 3-6
 July 17 Music by Dave Read 1-4
 July 23 Music by Allan Willcockson 4-7
 August 6 Music by Chuck Shubert 4-7
 August 7 Music by Allan Willcockson 1-4
 August 20 Music by John Cain 3-6
 August 21 Music by Just Jeff 1-4
 August 27 Music by Andrew Lobby 3-6
 607 Ridge Road
 Phillipsburg, New Jersey
 littleridge607@gmail.com
 908-319-4032

Asbury Coffee Mill

432 Old Main Street
 Asbury, New Jersey 08802
 (908) 574-2147 Outdoor Dining Now
 Open Order On Line A fine place for breakfast and lunch dining
 We are open: Monday & Tuesday - CLOSED Wednesday through Friday: 7:00am to 2:00pm Saturday & Sunday: 8:00am to 2:00pm Private Functions

Elements Music and Arts Festival

Aug. 19-22 Northeast's immersive car camping festival. 3 days of music, art and adventure in Long Pond Pa. <https://www.elementsfest.us/>

First Saturday Art Walk

Join Us in Downtown Stroudsburg, Every First Saturday of the Month from 6-8pm. Enjoy the art at participating galleries and during good weather visit the outdoor area on Monroe Street between 6th and 7th Streets. Gamut Art Gallery 109-111 N. 8th St. Andrei Art Gallery 18 N. 7th St. Pocono Arts Council 701 Main St., Suite 400 The Gallery at Reinages Winery 600 Main St. Turrell Art Studios 4 N. 6th St.

Concerts in the Square

Recurring weekly on Thursday until August 18, 2022 Downtown Stroudsburg Business Association 38 N 7th Street Stroudsburg, PA Free! (570) 476-4460 info@poconoarts.com

The American Legion Riders Monthly Meeting is Sunday, September 11 at 10:30 AM at The American Legion Post 927, 646 Fairgrounds Road/Route 209, Gilbert PA. For more information, visit www.ampost927.org. Visit American Legion Riders Post 927 on Facebook. Call President Everett 'Skippy' Shaver at 570-977-8208 or everett.shaver@yahoo.com Carly Martino 201-213-1830 carylros@ptd.net

Biking

Delaware Water Gap National Recreation Area - River Road Bushkill, PA (570) 426-2452 Levee Loop Trail - Biking East Stroudsburg, PA (570) 426-1512 info@srosrc.org

BIKE TRAIN

ALL ABOARD THE SCENIC BIKE TRAIN!

Hop on the Bike Train and step back in time. Enjoy a relaxing 25 mile train ride through the Lehigh Gorge. Then, pedal your bike back down to Jim Thorpe at your own pace along the Lehigh Gorge Rail Trail.

Advance Tickets/reservations Are Required For The Bike Train And Can Be Made By Calling The Blue Mountain & Northern Railroad (Aka Lehigh Gorge Scenic Railway) Directly At 570-325-8485.

June 11th & 12th (9am & 12pm)
 July 23rd & 24th (9am & 12pm)
 August 6th & 7th (9am & 12pm)
 September 10th & 11th (9am & 12pm)

Pocono Tubing & Rafting

Tubing on the rivers of the Pocono Mountains is the place to be on those hot steamy, summer days. Schedule a trip with a Pocono outfitter and just lay back, relax and drift along. For something a bit more surreal... journey under the stars and explore the nightlife under a midsummer moon as glow sticks dance around you like fireflies. For the thrill seekers, try a whitewater rafting adventure <https://www.poconomountains.com/things-to-do/water-recreation-boating/tubing-rafting/>

Smithfield Beach to Delaware Water Gap

Take a quick canoe or kayak trip down the Delaware River from the Smithfield Beach launch, down to the famous Delaware Water Gap. Rafts are available as well! Adventure Sports (570) 223-0505 1 (800) 487-2628 info@adventuresport.com 398 Seven Bridge Road East Stroudsburg, PA 18301

Monroe Farmers Market

When: Recurring weekly on Saturday
 Time: 8:00 AM to 12:00 PM
 610 Monroe Street
 Stroudsburg, PA 18360
 Location: Courthouse Square
monroefarmersmarket@gmail.com

Wineries in the Poconos

Pocono wineries offer a unique and relaxing getaway. Tour a winery and unwind while sam-

pling the many varieties of vintages available at our vineyards. From hip downtown wine bars like RAW Urban Winery & Hard Cider, Tolino Vineyards and Wild Elder Wine and Cider Co. to scenic properties like Mountain View Vineyard Winery and Sorrenti Cherry Valley Vineyards where rows of grapes are spread out on the hill before you, these wineries are located throughout our four-county region, so a Pocono vineyard experience is close to you no matter where you travel.

Pocono wine tours, wine tastings and special wine pairing events and dinners make it easy to discover new, locally-crafted, one-of-a-kind flavors. Check out specials at Three Hammers Winery in Hawley, Soaked Winery in Milford, Eagles Rest Cellars in Stroudsburg and Wine & More on 1st in Lehighton. Whether looking for a bachelorette party or relaxing with your spouse, browse the wineries in the Poconos below to plan the perfect wine trip. <https://www.poconomountains.com/things-to-do/nightlife-spirits/wineries/>

SAVE THE DATE:

Evening Star Quilters Guild Annual Quilt Show, October 22 & 23, 2022 We are back and the show will be better than ever!! Evening Star Quilters Guild presents "A Harvest of Quilts" show on Saturday, October 22 and Sunday, October 23, 2022, 10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. at Belvidere High School, 809 Oxford Street, Belvidere, NJ. Over 100 locally made quilts will be on display. In addition, there will be vendors, demonstrations, a boutique, cafe, and raffles. Admission is \$7; a portion of proceeds support charities and local scholarships. See our website esqg.com or contact president@esqg.com for further information.

Family Fun and Native Plant Sale, Saturday, September 17, 10 am – 2 pm, Fry's Run Park (Rte. 611 S., at Royal Manor Rd., just north of Riegelsville) sponsored by Fry's Run Watershed Assn.

4th ANNUAL S.A.L. PIG ROAST

Saturday, September 17, 2-9:30 PM at American Legion Post 927, 646 Fairgrounds Rd, Gilbert. Unlimited food, beer and wine! Fireworks! Tickets include tunes by Jammer Joe, Pulled Pork, Burgers, Dogs, Soda, Water! 50/50 drawing! Advance Tickets \$25, \$35 at the door. Contact Erik Nelson (973) 459-8378 or Kyle Earling (856) 522-3127 Jacobsburg Environmental Education Center

Introduction to Field Botany

Saturday, August 27 at 4:00pm to 5:00pm
 Many plants may look similar at first glimpse and it can be overwhelming trying to sort them all out. Join us and learn basic skills in plant identification using keys and field guides. We will focus on commons plants and plant families found at Jacobsburg. Please

bring water, a snack, wear sturdy shoes and dress appropriately for the weather. Registration is required.

Living Light in the Forest Night

Saturday, August 27 at 8:30pm to 9:30pm

It's not easy to spot but our night forests can be brighter than we realize. Join us as we search for bioluminescent and phosphorescent plants, animals, lichen, and fungi that call our fields and forests home. Please bring water, a snack, a flashlight, wear sturdy shoes and dress appropriately for the weather. Registration is required.

Jacobsburg Environmental Education Center Community Programs, September 2022

Fishing Rods and Tackle Available When: Monday thru Friday, 8:00am to 3:30pm

Where: Jacobsburg Visitor Center, 400 Belfast Road, Nazareth
 Borrow fishing poles and tackle to use in Jacobsburg's creeks! To borrow equipment, you must provide a driver's license or other form of state issued identification. Persons age 16 and older must possess a current fishing license to fish. Adults can help children under 16 fish without a license. Bait is not provided. For more information call 610-746-2801 or email jacobsburgsp@pa.gov.

DiscoverE Adventure Backpacks Available When: Monday thru Friday, 8:00am to 3:30pm Where: Jacobsburg Visitor Center, 400 Belfast Road, Nazareth
 Borrow a backpack full of kid-friendly tools to explore Jacobsburg! These backpacks are best for families with young children. Each backpack includes binoculars, notepad, colored pencils, magnifying lens, bug box, dip net, and five field guides for exploring the pond, insects, birds, trees, butterflies and moths. For more information call 610-746-2801 or email jacobsburgsp@pa.gov.

Weekly Weeders
 Thursday, September 1, 8, 15, 22, & 29 at 8:30am to 10:30am

Interested in learning more about gardening with native plants? Volunteer to work alongside our education staff as they mulch, pull weeds, divide plants, and amend soil in the center's native plant garden. We provide instruction, tools, and weeding mats. Registration is required.

DiscoverE: Tales for Tots Sessions 1-7 Tuesdays, September 6 thru October 18 at 10:00am to 11:00am & 1:00pm to 2:00pm

Our popular Tales for Tots program returns with all new explorations! Join us for story time followed by nature activities for preschoolers ages 3-5. Each week we will explore a different topic by reading a book followed by a craft and short scavenger hunt. Children must be accompanied by an adult. Please register all members of your party including adults and additional children for each session that you plan to attend as space for this program is limited to 20 attendees total.